WALL STREET NEWS

Market Activity Pronounced at Lower Levels.

RAILROAD EARNINGS LARGER

Atchison, Southern, Missouri Pacific, Wabash, and L. & N. Show Increases for November - Time Money Rates Are Easier and More Demand for Commercial Paper.

Atch., Top. & S. Fe com... Atch., Top. & S. Fe pfd... Atlantic Coast Line...... Baltimore & Ohio com....

Brooklyn Rapid Transit...

besapeake & Ohio..... hicago G, W. com..... hi., Mil. & St. P. com... hicago & N. W. com...

Norfolk & Western... Northern Pacific.....

INDUSTRIALS.

8% 76 49% 59 36

8% 57 39% 116%

52% 1814

1091/2 705/2 1161/4 44 61 651/2

New York, Dec. 28.—The pessimistic or professionally pessimistic feeling in speculative circles in Wall street verticals.

Serie com...
Inter. Metro, com... ulative circles in Wall street yesterday carried over into to-day's stock market to sufficient extent to bring about re- Pe

any other during the day.

Nevertheless, at the slightly lower levels greater support seemed to be extended to prices and the market soon railied and to price and the market soon railied and to be contained and to price and the market soon railied and to be contained and to be containe with a good deal of briskness to points Union Pacific com.... hey left off the day before. After this Western Maryland... time and during the rest of the stock exchange session business was dead.

with net advances and declines about qually commingled. No doubt a force militating against the market in some degree was yesterday's developments regarding the Northern Bank.

Gas Displays Strength.

Am. Can pdd.
Am. Car & Fdy. com. 78
Am. Cotton Oil com ... 59
Am. Locomotive com. ... 58
Am. Sugar Ref. com. 72%
Am. Sugar Ref. com. 114%
Am. Tel. & Tel. ... 141%
Am. Tobacco pfd ... 52%
Am. Woolen com. ... 31%
Anaconda Copper. ... 32%
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The Consolidated Gas shares again displayed especial strength. Other strong and Well supported stocks to-day were Lehigh Valley, Reading, and Union Pacific, and Distillers' Securities..... attention was again attracted by an upward movement in various specialties such as the United States Rubber and National Lead common shares.

Beyond any peradventure the day's most important wevelopment was the evidence brought in addition to that previously fur-Pacifie Mail Steamship. nished during the last fortnight of an improving tendency in railway gross revenues. Speculative interests having commitments for the decline did not exactly know what to make of this, inasmuch as one of their strongest arguments for falling values has been such as the supposed westinghouse Electric Mfg. 631 BONDS. ousiness as must necessarily result in by the railway companies, Yesterday the news contained such un-

pleasant announcements, from "the bear point of view," as the Atchison's report point of view," as the Atchison's report of a November business greater than Union Pacific cvt. 48...... 180% either of the two preceding years, of a large increase in the Southern Railway's earnings for November, and of very considerable increases, too, in the earnings of the Southern Railway, Missouri Pacific, and Wabash, for the third wee

L. & N. Shows Gross Increase. To-day, for the third week of Decem ber, the Louisville and Nashville reporte gross increase of nearly \$95,060; th Colorado and Southern and Wester Maryland October and November state ments exhibited improvement, and th Northern Pacific's November return showed a loss in gross of \$717,000, this

however, comparing with a much large falling off in preceding months. Advocates of lower prices also foun it hard to make any capital out of the action of the Pennsylvania company is declaring a dividend of 4 per cent fo clared last December, inasmuch as i reased its stock from \$60,000,000 to \$80, 000,000, and is thus making a gross dis-Nevada Hills..... 21/8 21/4

tribution as large as formerly. Once more the time money rates were easier and there was a larger demand by the banks for commercial paper Call money was a shade higher, owing of course, to the imminence of the end of the year. Sterling exchange was again weak under renewed offerings of cotton and commercial bills,

BOSTON COPPER STOCKS.

	The state of the s			
	Quotations furnished by W. B. Hill	å ad	Co.	
	members of the New York Stock Excha	inge. F	libbs	
	Building.		sked.	
	Adventure	6	7	
	Butte Coalition	18	18%	
	Bohemia	3	316	
	C. & A	47	48 8	
	C. & H	550	560	
	Copper Range	67	6736	
	East Butte	1114	11%	
	Franklin	9	916	
	Indiana	112%	12	
ř.	Lasalle	7	735	
	Lake	32%	3356	
	Michigan	316	3%	
	Mohawk	45	46	
	Mason Valley	954	1034	
	Mergenthaler	21114	27234	
	North Butte	27	27%	
	North Lake	6%	614	
	Old Deminion	37	39	
	Osceola	125	133	
	Oneco	9 .	236	
	Parrott	1134	12	
	Quincy	70	71	
	Shannon	1114	311%	
	Superior & Pittsburg	13%	14	
	Swift	100	100%	
	South Lake	6%	7	
	Tamarack	51	52	
	Trinity	415	5	
	Utah Consolidated	13	1314	
	Victoria	9	3 4	
	Wolverine	115	120	
	United Fruit	192	193	
	Advanced sources Comming			

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

				Asked.
	1930			1011/4
, coupon, 1930	************	**********	100%	
	1908-18			36214
registered, 1	-18			102%
coupon, 1925				116%
anama Canal	10-30-year 2s,	тед., 1936	1001/2	****
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	MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.	
	New York, Dec. 28Miscellaneous bond quations:	iota-
	A., T. & S. F. gnl, 4s	90% 92
	Atlantic Coast Line 4s	92%
m	Bethlehem Steel 5s	861/2
	Central Leather 5s	99%
	Central of New Jersey 5s	1221/2
	Chesapeake & Ohio general 41/28	10114
	IntiboMet. 456s New York Central 4s	795%
	New York Central 5½s	931/6
- 71	New York Gas E. L. H. & Power 4s	87
	New York Telp. 41/25.	9814
	Norfolk & Western con. 4s	99
	Norfolk & Western cvt. 4s,	100%
		101
	Northern Pacific 3s	71
N.	Oreg. Ry. & Nav. 4s.	96
W.	Oregon Short Line rfg. 4s.	9314
	Pennsylvania 3/2s, 1915	961/8
	Reading gal. 4s	97%
	St. Louis Southwestern 1st 4s	89%
	Sci. V. & N. E. 4s.	961/2
	Southern Pacific evt. 4s	96%
	Southern Pacific rfg. 4s	941/2
		75%
		1011/4
		103%
		109%
	Wabash rfg. 4s	64
	Western Maryland 1st 4s	8614
	Wis Con S & First An	11/4

TREASURY STATEMENT.

	for
At the beginning of business yesterday the condi-	cal
1100 of the United States Transper was	8
Working balance in Treasury offices\$32,740,193	Sh
in canks and Philippine treasury	har
Total balance in general fund	Cor
Receipts yesterday 985,407	ibs
Disbursements yesterday 2.136.275	col
	hot
against \$28,090,710 at this time last year.	F
These figures exclude Panama Canal and public	hos
debt transactions.	irs

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. WASHINGTON STOCK MARKET.

Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co. Washington Gas 5s, \$500 at 110%, \$1,000 at 110%. Washington Gas S, 80 at 102, 3,000 at 102. Potomac Electric cons. 5c, \$1,000 at 109. Washington Railway and Electric pfd., 15 at 86%, 25 at 86%. Mergenthaler Linotype, 5 at 213%, 5 at 213%, 3 at 213%, 5 at 212%, 5 at 212%, SALES OF SHARES BY HOURS. RAILROADS.

After call-Washington Railway and Electric pfd., change. GAS BONDS.

City & Suburban 5s. | Metropolitan | 58 | 106% | 34% | Washington Railway & Electric 4s. | 83% | 31% | Washington Alex & Mt. Vernon 5s. | 45½ | 41 | Potomac Electric cons. 5s. | 99% | 115% | Potomac Electric Light 5s. | 106 | 123% | American Tel. & Tel. | 104 | 149 | Emerson Steam Pump 6s. | 95

 147%
 149
 Emerson Steam Pump 6s.
 95

 28%
 29%
 PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.

 50
 59
 Capital Traction
 *127%

 37%
 37%
 Washington Railway & Electric com.
 32%

 25%
 25%
 25%
 86

 60
 60%
 Washington Gas
 *215

 52½
 22%
 Georgetown Gas.
 *55

 167%
 168%
 American Telephone & Telegraph.
 140

 32
 22
 TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.

 33%
 33%
 Mergenthaler Linotype
 212%

 49%
 50
 MINING STOCK
 *90%
 MINING STOCK. NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.

61% Greene Cananea.
424
8% American NATIONAL B
49% City
59 Columbia ...
224
114% Farmers and Mechanics.
1142% Metropolitan ...
314 Riggs Second ...
31 National Bank of Washi ...
30 TRUST COMP Union Trust.

Washington Loan & Trust.

United States Trust.

SAVINGS RANE
Home Savings.

Union Savings.

East Washington. SAVINGS BANK STOCKS 184 Union Savings.... East Washington... Provident 81 National Union... 65% Potemac

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS

to Show Progress Being Made.

South and its progress, said:

of which it may well boast

States then made

our power to do.

own ability to achieve.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Dec. 28.-BUTTER-Receipts to-day,

3,205 packages. The market ruled about steady.

10514 10514 82% 82% 82% 10514 9554 954 10514 Real Estate... Washington 175% 197% Emerson Stea 9614 9614 Graphophone Washington MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

*Ex dividend, 11/2 per cent.

CURB MARKET.

S. Steel com.... S. Steel pfd....

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	Quotations furnished by W. B. Hib	bs & Co.	, mem-
	bers of the New York Stock Exchang	e, Hibbs	Build-
	ing.	Bid.	Asked.
10	Bay State Gas	1/2	1/8
	British Cohmbia Copper	736	714
d:	Butte Coalition	18	19
ne.	Chicago Subway	4	416
n	Cobalt Central	9	10
	Ely Central	6	614
e-	Giroux Copper	6%	6 13-16
1e	Goldfield Florence	1%	156
n	Greene Cananea	65%	6%
s,	Kerr Lake	6 11-16	6%
	Manhattan Transit	1	1%
F	Miami	1954	19%
	Mines Company of America (new)	5 11-16	5 13-16
d	Nevada-Utah M. & S. Corp	13-16	15-16
e	Nipissing Mines Company	10%	11
m	Ohio Copper	1%	9 9-16
3(Rawhide Coalition	3	4
- 1	Ray Consolidated	18	18%
-	Sioux	27	30
n	United Copper	4	5
1-	United Copper pfd	10	20
-	Yukon Gold	3%	3%
	Rubber	327/8	331/4

NEW YORK MONEY.

The time money market continued very inactive, with rates quoted at 3% per cent for all periods from sixty days to six months, and with some money actually loaned at 3% per cent for ninety days.

Mercantile paper was issued with moderate free doom, meeting with fairly good absorption. Rates, 1545 per cent for choice four to six months' single names; 5% for others.

Over \$50,000,000 a year against \$23,000,000 as the total amount thus expended by the United States in 1860, when the population of the country exceeded by 3,000,000 the population of the South at present. In fits cotton mills this section has twice as many spindles as the United States had in 1860. It is making three and a half in 1860. It is making three and a half in 1860. The order of the university board of trustees, assisted in receiving the guests.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

ng lower on good general rains throughout the couthwest, where drought has prevailed for some ime, and is now effectually broken, later advanced

	- Section 2			70,110,090	
May	95%	96%	95%	931	
July	92%	9314	92%	925	
			1777		
May	47%	48	47%	475	
July	38%	4834	48%	485	
OATS-		-			
May	341/4	34%	33%	. 335	
		34%	34	34	
PORK-					
January	19.60	19.60	19.25	19.42	
May	18.85	18.85	18.52	18.55	
LARD-					
May	10.30	10.30	10.07	10.07	
RIBS-					
May	9.90	9.90	9.70	9.70	
	July. CORN- May. July. OATS- May. July. PORK- January. May. LARD- May. RIB8- May. New York, Dec. 23 ness. No. 2 Northe L18; No. 2 red, f. o 1.03; No. 1 macaron toba, f. o. b., 1.03%.	July	July 92% 93% CORN- May 47% 48 July 28% 48% July 34% 48% July 34% 34% PORK- January 19.60 19.60 May 18.85 18.85 LARD- May 10.30 10.30 RIBS- May 9.30 9.20 New York, Dec. 28, WHEAT-Firnness, No. 2 Northern spring, to a 1.18; No. 2 red, f. o. b., 97%; No. 2 1.63; No. 1 macaroni, f. o. b., 1.02% toba, f. o. b., 1.03%, Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03%, Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03%, Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03%, Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03%, Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03%, Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to the spring to the spring to a 1.03% Reported for extended to the spring to	May 95% 96% 96% 96% July 95% 95% 93% 92% CORN— May 47% 48 47% 48 47% 95% 95% 95% 95% 95% 95% 95% 95% 95% 95	

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 teg other people to come, but, like a 1.01% great magnet, it will draw the men and 99% money of other sections.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

New York, Dec. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1.867 head. Steers were slow to 10e lower; bulls steady; cows less active, with sellers holding prices just about steady; the yards were cleared. Good to prime steers sold at 5.58a.66 per 100 lbs.; culls, 4.00a.50; cows, 2.54a.65 dressed beef slow and prices weak, with native sides a selling at Skal0½. Today's London cables quoted in the cattle firmer at 13½a.14½, dressed weight, is addition to the offal.

CALVES—Receipts, 1.939 head. Veals were slow to 25c lower; Western calves, 1.652; dressed veight, is addition to the offal.

CALVES—Receipts, 1.939 head. Veals were slow to 25c lower; Western steady. Common to prime reals sold at 6.50a.10.50 per 100 lbs.; culls, 5.00a.60; Western calves, 1.652; dressed veight, is addition to the offal.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

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IN SOCIAL WORLD.

Continued frim Page Five. sisting in receiving the guests and dis pensing the hospitalities of the afteroon were Mrs. M. B. Mercer and Miss

house guests, Miss Katherine Niles, of Boston, and Miss Helen Bu-chanan and Miss Nellie Goodrich, of After call Washington Railway and Electric 1963.

It at 854.

Mergenthaler Linotype, 5 at 2134.

Washington Gas Scrip, \$52 at 112, \$340 at 111.

Following are the bid and asked prices posted at yesterday's meeting of the Washington Stock Extended in the process of the State of the Philadelphia; Miss Elise Browning, Miss Hazel Cox, Miss Frances Edmonston, and Miss Genevieve Kinnear. Following the yesterday's meeting of the Washington Stock Extended in the Philadelphia; Miss Elise Browning, Miss Hazel Cox, Miss Frances Edmonston, and Miss Genevieve Kinnear. ing party. A few additional guests were Bid. Asked asked for the informal dance.

Mrs. Masters received her guests in black satin and lace, and the debutante was gowned in white satin, veiled in chiffon, and trimmed with touches of coral velvet. She carried a shower bou quet of pink roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Masters has invitations ou for a luncheon at Rauscher's, on Friday

Mrs, John E. Fowler will be hostess at a dinner and dance this evening in compliment to Miss Ruth Pilling and her 107% guest, Miss Harper, of Evanston, Ill.

Mrs. John W. Yerkes and Miss Yerkes ntertained at a tea yesterday afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock, in honor of their house guest, Mrs. C. R. Anderson, of Danville, Ky., who is returning to her home to-day. Mrs. Henry Sherman Boutell, wife of Representative Boutell, and Mrs. T. D. Hutchinsen presided at the tea table, which was adorned with a centerpiece of holly and poinsettia blos-

The Riding Club has arranged evening usual drill rides will be held. An interesting game of polo was played the other afternoon by the Misses Allen, Col. Treat. Mr. Hugh Legare, and Gen. Allen. There will be an indoor game of polo every week. Those riding in the drill yesterday afternoon were Mrs. John Jay White, the Misses Allen, Mrs. W. Sinclair Bowen, Mrs. Brown, Miss Sikes, the Misses Fin Mrs. Churchill Candee, Miss Julia Whiting, Miss Shepherd, Mr. George X. McLanahan, Mr. William Phelps Eno, Gen. Allen, Mrs. J. William Henry, Mr. Edward Denby, Mr. Charles Richardson, Mr. George Oakley Totten, jr., Maj. Dunn, Capt. Lindsey, and Mr. Wheatley Tea was served in the clubrooms after

The three wards and relatives of Mirza Ali Kuli, Khan, charge d'affaires of the ardson School in this city.

A very pretty wedding took place in the handsome Christmas-decorated historic old St. Paul's Rock Creek Church road, last evening, when Miss Mary Lamond, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Lamond, of Lamonds, D. C., was married to Mr. William La Rue White, of Washington, D. C. Prof. Cheney, the organist, played a short recital before the The bride was handsomel dressed in white satin, with a veil held DEVELOPMENT OF SOUTH SEEN with orange blossoms, and carried a white Alexandria, Va., wife of the eldest son of the family, was matron of honor, and Richard H. Edmonds Gives Figures was gowned in blue satin and carried white roses. Misses Franc and Edith King, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Edward King, of Lisbon, Ohio, were brides-maids. They were becomingly dressed in pink satin and carried pink roses. Mr. Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 28.-In an address Vaughn Darby, of Washington, cousin of

at the annual banquet of the Greater the bridegroom, was best man. Mr. Charlotte Club, Richard H. Edmonds, Townly Hays, of Washington, with the editor of the Manufacturers' Record, in five brothers of the bride, acted as ush-discussing matters bearing upon the ers. The church was filled with distindiscussing matters bearing upon the guished guests. The popular couple re-ceived many handsome and costly gifts. "Despite all the disadvantages under espite all the disadvantages under They left immediately after the ceremony for an extended trip through Florlast ten or twelve years, agitations which blue broadcloth, with hat to match. They have created false impressions about the will be at home to their friends after South, this section has achieved wonders February 1 at Lamonds, D. C.

The Columbian Women of George "Sometimes we have talked about being Washington University entertained at a too poor to develop our educational fa- reception to meet President and Mrs.

over \$50,000,000 a year against \$22,000,000 as the total amount thus expended by the United States in 1860, when the population United States in 1860, when the population the University Policies, in the University Policies, i in 1860. It is making three and a half times as much pig iron as the United The presentations to President Stockton kneecap.

were made by the president of the Co-"Last year it produced almost as much lumbian Women, Miss Grace Ross, as-Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., and its total farm produced almost as intentional working.

Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., and its total farm products exceed by \$900,000,000 the value of the agricultural ence Frisby, Mrs. Edwin B. Behrend, Kemper, senior warden; S. W. Pitts, curred between 2 and 3 o'clock this morn output of the United States at that time. Miss Anna A. Hazelton, and Miss Julia junior warden; C. B. Swan, senior dealing in the general merchandise establish-We have two and one-third times as much raftroad mileage and six times as much money in bank deposits as the whole money in bank deposits time, and is now electronic proken, later advanced on beying by local bulls on the higher closing calculation of the committee on a country had in 1860. In brief the story day and mostly all of a local professional character.

Minucapolis reported cash demand quiet. The South was assisted in the dining-room by taking the dining-room day and mostly all of a local professional character. Minneapolis reported cash demand quiet. The South-west market reported ash demand quiet. The South-west market reported ash demand great demand for soft red winter wheat, Receipts to-day, 56 cars, with 42 crimated for to-morrow.

The corn market ruled quiet, but steady, within a narrow maps and very light trade. The weather throughout the corn belt was broken, but this will fee only temporary. Receipts to-day, S0 cans, with 66 estimated for to-morrow.

Oats ruled dull and heavy all day. There was more or less liquidation by December holders, as well as scattered selling of May. Receipts are large, while the cash demand for to-morrow.

One of the building was assisted in the dining-room by Mrs. Martin A. Knapp, Mrs. James Brown Scott, Mrs. M. M. Parker, Mrs. Cotton spindles.

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the nome seeker. We have a country of boundless pessibilities; but, considering our unequaled resources, we are not of the District of Columbia are antici
The funeral of George W. Hall took achieving one-half as much as it is in pating a good time at the ball to be given by the field officers of the high school we do not make the most of the cadets at the Arlington on December 31.

situation it is our fault. Opportunity is knocking at our door. We shall have no Mr. Joseph Stevens is spending the holione to blame but ourselves if we fail to days with his parents at his home at open it. It behooves us to creat among Havre de Grace. On his arrival he was reliance and a fuller recognition of the tendered a reception by his Yale assothe young and old of this section selfreliance and a fuller recognition of the inherent strength of character in the people of the South that we may realize our own ability to achieve. Kissinger, Gertrude Goodridge, Helen Bancroft, Messrs. Robert Downes, Fred-"As the South concentrates its energies upon the upbuilding of a self-reliant, erick Green, Frank Farmer, Bernard Ballinger, Carl Eswals, and Frank Norris Mr. Stephens will return Wednesday. and in their country, it will know no lack of growth. It will not then have to

Mrs. Dorsey last evening entertained a party of young people at her home in Fourteenth street. Among those present were Misses Susan and Gertrude Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. H. Enlows, Mrs. D. C. Wiggins, Miss Marmaduke, and Mrs. Marma-

NEWSOFALEXANDRIA

Freight Brakeman Dying of Fall from Trestle.

PICKED UP BY RAILWAY MEN

After Turning Switch for Train, F. E. Smith Misses Footing and Plunges to Ground, Sustaining Probably Fatal Injuries-Funeral of Charles King Largely Attended.

A.S.DONIPHAN, News Agent. KING AND COLUMBUS STS., Alexandria, Va.

The Washington Herald delivered to any address in Alexandrin at the following rates: Oaily and Sunday . . . 40c per mo, Daily only 25c per mo.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 28.-Falling a distance of twenty-five feet through the Washington-Southern Railway trestle known as the Braddock road trestle, F. rides for every Monday and Thursday at E. Smith, thirty years old, a freight 8:30 o'clock. Wednesday and Saturday brakeman, at 4 o'clock, this morning, susafternoons from 4:30 until 6 o'clock the tained a fractured skull and an ugly scalp wound.

He was picked up by railroad employes and placed aboard the annex train. He was brought to Alexandria Hospital, where his injuries were dressed by Dr. W. M. Smith. At the hospital late to-

Smith had turned a switch and was walking rapidly to catch his train, when he missed his footing and fell to the

Smith is a resident of Charlottesville, but has been making his home for som time past in this city. He is unmarried.

Melville Briggs, a negro, twenty-three cears old, of Fredericksburg, Va., was dilled late last night at the overhead oridge near union station by a train. His cody was literally cut in two. It is not known whether he was struck by a train whife walking on the tracks or whether e was killed while attempting to board a train near by. Briggs was employed as an express driver in Fredericksburg. Coroner S. B. Moore this afternoon sum oned a jury which met at Wheatley's undertaking establishment. The jury, after viewing the body, adjourned over

intil witnesses can be summoned.

Funeral services for Charles King were neld at Grace Episcopal Church at 2 prayer book. She was given in marriage members of the chamber of commerce. by her father. Mrs. C. C. Lamond, of Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector, assisted by Rev. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, and Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, of the Episcopal Theological Sem inary, conducted the services. Burial was in the Presbyterian Cemetery. The pallbearers were Carroll Pierce, A. D. Brockett, T. C. Howard, W. A. Smoot, .. Urban S. Lambert, Raymond Hul-

The funeral of J. Hanson Price took place at 11 o'clock this morning from his residence, 118 North Alfred street Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's anal Church officiated John B. Waller, Phineas J. Dempsey, and

to recover damages in the sum of \$10,000 case. Quisenbury. The plaintiff alleges that on December 29, 1909, he fell on a sidewalk on the south side of King street, between Royal and Fairfax streets, breaking his

Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Ma-

Hall, when the first and second degrees cerning the fire of the order were conferred upon a class. The State fire

place at 3 o'clock this afternoon from his There are 1,520 wireless stations.

FINANCIAL.

Capital, \$500,000.

FINANCIAL.

Surplus and Undivided Profits, \$297,598.02.

Wisdom Suggests

-the advisability of your establishing banking connections where BEST SERVICE, as well as sound, progressive management, is assured.

Now that the season of good resolutions is at hand, decide to profit by the unsurpassed service rendered by this strong, conservatively managed bank.

Confer with us concerning your banking needs before the New Year

Women's Accounts Particularly Invited.

THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK,

Cor. 14th and G Sts. N. W.

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services were conducted by Rev. W. J. ish, James Bayne, and Richard Chi-chester. ery. The pallbearers were C. Curtin, O. Devers. W. E. Grady Samuel Mills. William Bailey and Edward Martin.

Christmas celebrations of Sunday Rurial was schools were the order of the evening as the unwise agitation of all kinds of the last ten or twelve years, agitations which blue broadcloth, with hat to match. They ent being a number of his fellow-employes in the War Department. The floral offerings were numerous. The pall-bearers were W. B. Smoot, Albert Bryan, Iche B. Wells Phiseast I. Department of the pall-erary programmes were given.

In the Police Court to-day the case New York, Dec. 28.—Money on call at the stock exchange to-day opened at 3% per cent; highest, 3%; lowest, 2%, closing at 3 per cent, over 350,000,000 a year against \$23,000,000 has entered suit in the Corporation Court the police may further investigate the Hunter was arrested on suspicion against the city council, Robert Elliott, of the larceny of several cans of sirup. Julian T. Burke, trustee, and Edith

BOY BURNED TO DEATH.

Girl Seriously Hurt in Leaping from Window. Upper Marlboro, Dec. 28.-Jerome Blum

berg, jr., fifteen years of age, is dead ons has elected these officers for the year: and his younger sister is seriously in-

The State fire marshal, Thomas Ewell nake a thorough investigaion. will be called upon, it is understood, to



Gladstone was born December 29, 1809. Find another statesman.

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Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., numbers of the New York Stock Exchange, Hibbs Building.
New York, Dec. 28.—The market was steadier

during the afternoon, with prices holding about ten points under last night's closing, and about ten points up from the early low level. Supporting orders on the basis of 14.89 for March and 14.95 for May appeared in sufficient quantity to cause many traders to cover their shorts, and others to go "long" again for a turn.

15.08 15.13 14.95 15.13 15.10 15.17 14.95 15.16 Hit by Ambulance, He Dies.

Philadelphia, Dec. 28.-Surrounded by members of his family, R. Winder Johnson, head of the banking firm of Laws rence Johnson & Co., who was knocked down and injured by an auto-ambulance of the Women's Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, last night, died in a hospital to-day.